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In re application of

Attn: APPLICATION BRANCH

Docket No. 2000_1449A

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 4, line 1, change "any of Claims 1 to 3" to --Claim 1--.

Please add the following new claim:

--5. The digital PLL device of Claim 2 comprising:

an oversampling digital filter for interpolating the adjacent digital signals.

6. The digital PLL device of Claim 3 comprising:

an oversampling digital filter for interpolating the adjacent digital signals. --